



*FW*

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Docket No. R2184.0283/P283	
Application No. 10/725,312-Conf. #4926	Filing Date December 2, 2003	Examiner L. Chow	Art Unit 2627		
Applicant(s): Norihiro Yamamoto					
Invention: OPTICAL DATA RECORDING METHOD AND OPTICAL DISK DEVICE					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
<b>Total Claims</b>	9	- 25 =	0	x 50.00	0.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>	7	- 7 =	0	x 200.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <span style="margin-left: 200px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity</span>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>04-1073</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.					
 Mark J. Thompson / Anthony M. Briggs, Jr. Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 33,082 / 52,654				Dated: <u>July 5, 2007</u>	
DICKSTEIN SHAPIRO LLP 1825 Eye Street, NW Washington, DC 20006-5403 (202) 420-4742					



Docket No.: R2184.0283/P283  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Norihito Yamamoto

Application No.: 10/725,312

Confirmation No.: 4926

Filed: December 2, 2003

Art Unit: 2627

For: OPTICAL DATA RECORDING METHOD  
AND OPTICAL DISK DEVICE

Examiner: L. Chow

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.